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TEN CENTS A WEEK

LYNCH LAW.

JIM STONE, THE RAPIST, HANGED THIS MORNING.

Ghastly Tragedy Enacted In The Midnight Hours At Mayfield.

THE BRUTE MADE A PARTIAL CONFESSION,

But Says Fox Wilcox Committed The Damnable Deed.

OTHER NEGROES ORDERED AWAY

Hundreds View The Mutilated Corpse This Forenoon. A Terrible Warning To Evil Doers.

FULL DETAILS OF THE HORRIBLE CRIME.

Jim Stone, the Mayfield rapist, who was charged with committing an outrage on Mrs. J. M. R. Green, on November 23, at Mayfield, was lynched this morning at 12:30 o'clock in the court house yard, only a short distance from the jail.

Stone made a partial confession, which is not however, credited by a majority of the people of Mayfield.

Stone was taken back to Mayfield yesterday morning. The citizens had been expecting him for several days, and were on the alert.

It is claimed that no Mayfield people were in the mob, but that it was composed of residents of the surrounding country. The leader was a well known and desperate character, formerly a notorious klux, according to reports.

In the night the mob began forming. It organized in two divisions, one between the cemetery and mill site that was recently burned, and the other on the south side of town.

As the clock struck midnight, in pursuance with a preconceived understanding, the two divisions began their sinuous march to the court house. They surrounded the building and called for the jailer.

"We want that negro," they said to Jailer Sutherland, who resides adjacent to the jail proper.

With little reluctance the jailer replied: "Wait until I get on my shoes."

"Never mind your shoes," retorted the mob leader, "give us the man."

Without further ceremony the way was lead through the dark corridors of the jail and the trembling, bare-footed prisoner, who well knew his time had come, dragged from his cell. He was taken out into the moonlight and his right was so great that he could hardly speak. Neither his hands nor his feet were tied. The mob stood sullenly by when Stone was asked if he had anything to say.

In the background were several hundred Mayfield people and citizens, who with bated breath strained their ears to catch every syllable of the condemned man's utterance.

Stone admitted that he was at Mrs. Green's residence on the night of the crime. He claimed that he went to Mayfield, but late at night started home. On his way he met "Fox Wilson," a well-known Mayfield negro, who asked him to go out in the outskirts with him. He at first consented, and when the negro's residence was reached, he said "Wilson told him to wait, that he had a date with a woman inside. Wilson went in and Stone waited a short time and then left.

"How long did you wait?" asked some one.

"Not very long," replied Stone.

"That's enough," yelled some one, and four or five of the vigilantes plunged knives into the terrified darky's quivering flesh. He did not utter a sound. In the pale moonlight the ghastly scene is said to have made a deep impression on those who witnessed it. The negro's endurance and stoicism were almost incredible. After the knives were thrust into him, some one placed the muzzle of a pistol to his head and fired, the ball plowing into his brain.

Meanwhile two men had climbed a tree and thrown the end of the rope across the limb. Just as the pistol went off the rope was drawn up by willing hands and Jim Stone, the rasher, swung slowly to and fro in the chilly, moist atmosphere—a corpse. He was no doubt dead before hanged. The other end of the rope was tied to a tree and the corpse left hanging four or five feet above the ground.

The mob then tied a canvas placard to his feet bearing the following inscription:

"Let the following black scoundrels take warning: Dan Boaz, Drane, Thos. Chambers, Luther Chambers, Charles Jenkins, Harvey Johnson, John Templeton, Fine Boaz, and Dawson."

All kinds of fancy mixed and plain candies at Calissi's. 214

M'KINLEY'S TROUBLES.

Had a Friend "Pulled" For Cruelty.

It All Came From An Unsatisfactory Horse Trade.

John McKinley, of Mechanicsburg, is a distant kinsman of William McKinley, the successful candidate of Canton. Unlike our present president, however, John is fond of trading horses.

A hackman named Press Dawson, and one or two other colored men who had been doing a great deal of talking on the streets, were also looked for, but could not be found. It is said that a large crowd of Mayfield people met the mob and endeavored to remonstrate against visiting summary vengeance on the negro, but to no avail. The men warned by the mob are all Mayfield dive keepers and ex-penitentiary birds, and the community could easily spare them all. It is claimed that the men in the mob were from Tyroneburg, Hickory Grove, Dukedom, Wingo and Water Valley, but as most of them wore masks, it is not known where they were from.

This morning the swaying, ghastly corpse, under which was a pool of clotted blood from scores of wounds, was viewed by hundreds of people. It was a terrible reminder of the fate of all such brutes. This forenoon it was cut down.

Stone's crime was a most revolting, a most heinous one. On the night of November 23 he went to the home of Mrs. J. M. R. Green, wife of a well known school teacher, and there outraged her. There was no one in the house at the time except her two children, and these were in another room.

The brute overpowered his helpless victim and by sheer force succeeded in his purpose, then threatening her with death if she made an outcry or attempted to give the alarm. He claimed that he was a white man, and Mrs. Green could not discern the color of her assailant, there being no other light in the room save the dim glow of the fire.

Stone was arrested the next morning, and there seems to be no doubt of his guilt. He seemed to apprehend the coming of the officers, and when he perceived their approach begged the man for whom he was working to tell them that he spent the previous night there.

The circumstantial evidence, outside of Stone's own confessions, was very strong. The assailant of Mrs. Green removed his shoes when he got in the window, and after having accomplished his purpose, seems to have left in a hurry, putting his shoes under his arm and walking in his stock feet. Under Stone's arm, after he was arrested, was found the mud from his shoes, and his socks were muddy where he had walked in the dirt before putting his shoes on again. He could not account for himself on the night of the rape, and besides Marshal Walker's bloodhounds, from Fulton, tracked him from the Green home, leaving little doubt as to his guilt.

Stone was also suspected of several other similar crimes. Sometime since he was arrested on suspicion of being the assailant who dragged a Mrs. Ligon out and assaulted her but it could not be proven on him. He was arrested not long since for detaining a colored school teacher, and since his arrest a well known young lady of Seladina, Graves county, revealed a story that throws some light on his diabolical character and disposition. Stone was then employed by her father, and one day the young lady was taken out to the field and knew of the family's departure. He soon excused himself on the plea of sickness and started towards the house. The young lady saw him coming, but had always been afraid of him and intuitive hid in a thicket nearby, where she could observe his actions. He searched the entire house and then called her, and his subsequent career has indicated what his object was.

Stone was brought to Paducah on the night of his arrest for safe keeping by Sheriff Cook and his deputy. A mob, as will be remembered, came here after him, but he had been spirited away by Sheriff Holland to a place of concealment.

The following afternoon he was taken to Louisville for safe keeping, and there remained until yesterday. He was ordered back by Judge Moss to be tried today, and Sheriff Cook and Deputy W. A. Usher passed through with him yesterday morning on the 1 o'clock train. It was thought by a great many that Stone would be accorded a fair trial, and then hanged no matter which way the case was decided.

The best place in the city to find Christmas presents and something that will be useful and appreciated, is at Jas. W. Gleaves & Sons.

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The Geneva Christmas Tree.

The Geneva Christmas tree will be given Thursday afternoon at 5 o'clock in the vacant Milan building on Third street between Broadway and Court, near the "News" office. Any one knowing of children who will have no other Christmas will be doing an act of charity to send them word of this so they may come, as it is hoped that no child will be overlooked and left without a present.

Wife, your husband would be satisfied with a large arm rocker or a couch. You can find them at Gleaves & Sons.

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CRIMES.

A Kentucky Woman Suicides at Baltimore.

A SAD CASE AT NEWPORT.

A Horrible Outrage Committed In Columbus, Ind.

BIG BANK FAILURE IN CHICAGO.

Baltimore, Md., Dec. 21.—A woman claiming to be Mrs. Walter Kimes committed suicide last night at her hotel by blowing out her brains. The deceased had been in the city for several days and was formerly from Kentucky. Despondency over her financial condition is thought to be the cause of her act.

FOUND IN A WELL.

Newport, Ky., Dec. 21.—The body of Mrs. Chas. Thompson was found this morning in a well at her home in this city. The deceased was a most estimable woman and no cause can be given for her terrible death unless insanity. Before killing herself she tried to kill two of her children and did severely injure them.

SENATOR JAMES' CONDITION.

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 21.—The condition of State Senator A. D. James, of Muhlenburg county, is reported to be much more favorable.

A BIG BANK FAILURE.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 21.—The National Bank of Illinois closed its doors today. The bank has a capital of \$1,000,000.

A COMMUTED SENTENCE.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Dec. 21.—Gov. Turney has commuted the death sentence of John Lemmons, the celebrated Coal Creek murderer, to life imprisonment.

A WHITE FIEND.

Horrible Outrage Committed In Brown Co., Indiana.

Columbus, Ind., Dec. 21.—The family of Tom Comblin in this country was grossly outraged last night during his absence from home. His wife was bound and gagged and threatened with death if she endeavored to escape. The fiend then, who was a white man bound her two daughters and outraged them. The man then escaped. A posse has been organized and is in pursuit.

MARKETS.

(Reported Daily by Lucy Grain Company.)

CHICAGO, Dec. 21.—May wheat opened at 79 79 ¼ its highest point was 80 ¼ and closed at 79 ½ ¾.

May corn opened at 25 and closed at 25 ½ b.

May oats opened at 19 ¾ and closed at 19 ½ ¾.

January pork opened at \$7.60-2 b. and closed at \$7.65-7.

January lard opened at \$3.82 and closed at \$3.82-5.

Jan. ribs opened at \$3.85 b.

March cotton opened at \$6.74 and closed at \$6.77.

Jan. cotton opened at \$6.93 and closed at \$6.89-90.

CONCERT TONIGHT

AT JONES' HALL FOR THE BENEFIT OF FRANKLIN SCHOOL LIBRARY.

The following is the program of the concert to be given tonight at Jones' Hall for the library fund. The piano used is a Kimball loaned by Manager Sutherland:

PROGRAM.

PART I.

Piano—The Awakening of the Lion... DeKonski Mr. Charles Davis.

Vocal solo..... Selected Miss Ida Hart.

Violin—Sixth Ave. Varieties... De Berio Mr. S. Stas.

Violin solo—Past and Future... R. De Koven Mr. Owen Tully.

Piano—Marches... Des Parthes Miss Brazelton and Mr. Davis.

Vocal quartette—The Chimes... Holst Misses Beatty, Tully, Hobson and Bishop.

Part II.

Vocal solo..... Selected Mrs. D. L. Lewis.

Violin..... Pour pour Mr. S. Stas.

Violin solo—The Church Across the Way... Mr. Beatty.

Vocal solo—Ora Pro Nobis... M. L. Colonna Miss Mississauga and Mr. Davis.

Violin—Tramp, Tramp, Tramp... Rollinson Mr. T. Cooney.

Vocal solo..... Selected Mr. Rob. Chastain.

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Seems to Be In A Pretty Bad Muss.

Will Be Tried To-Day on a Writ of Habeas Corpus.

The Lynn gang at Brooklyn, Ill., seem to be in total eclipse. Two of them one old white-headed man about 60 years old, were sent to Chester for twenty and fourteen years respectively a week or two ago.

Today Phil Lynn, town marshal of Brooklyn, is to be tried at Mound City, Pulaski county, on a writ of habeas corpus for trial.

The town marshal killed Milas Bradshaw, alias Lightning bug, last summer, and was released on bond until the grand jury convened at Metropolis. He was then indicted for wilful murder and committed to jail without bond. He secured a change of venue to Pulaski county and today will attempt to get bail. The old grey-headed man who was sent up for twenty years, Bart Lynn, is the town marshal's father.

The colored woman with whom Lightning Bug was living, and who claimed to be his wife, swore before the grand jury that the town marshal was on unduly intimate terms with her and swore to kill "Lightning Bug" the first time he saw him to get rid of the latter. This evidence, in the opinion of many, will convict Lynn.

The council at Brooklyn appropriated \$50 Saturday to help defend Lynn.

COUNCIL MEETING.

A MATTER OF IMPORTANCE THAT MAY COME UP.

It is to be hoped that the city council will at its meeting tonight will have the proposition which is being suspiciously pushed by certain persons, made public in all details.

The evening "News" would create the idea that the present council has been negligent in the matter of street repairs, while it is a well known fact that the streets of Paducah have never been so well cared for as under the present council.

The people of Paducah in the best way, but the anxiety of an evening paper makes it suspicious. The people do not want politics brought into street management.

A SURPRISE.

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THE I. C. SHOPS.

There seems to be a great deal of unnecessary uneasiness in this city over the Illinois Central shops. No statement has ever been made by the I. C. officials that there is even such a thing possible and no move has been made by them that can give any reasonable probability that such a change may be made, as the removal of those shops from Paducah.

The I. C. has been reducing expenses here, but a reduction has not been made here alone. When the I. C. purchased the C. O. & S. W. R. R., a reduction of force occurred here. But there was nothing strange in that. One reason for buying the road was that its absorption into the great I. C. system would enable the road to be run with less expense and with fewer men in certain places.

The combination of two grocery stores would result in the discharge of a few clerks, or other employees.

Then came a three days' shut down beginning Thanksgiving Day; this shut down extended over the entire I. C. system. After that a number of men were laid off here.

But more men were laid off in the Louisville shops in proportion to the number employed than were laid off here. The reduction of force also took place in every shop in the system except in those shops where accumulated work would not admit of it. Finally there has come an order for the reduction of the working hours per week. The order that came to these shops here in Paducah was also sent to every one of the shops on the whole I. C. system.

The object of this article is not to defend the Illinois Central Railroad Company; that vast system is abundantly able to take care of itself. But it is written for the purpose of demonstrating to the people of Paducah that the various reductions of force and in time that have been made at the shops, absolutely fail to prove a single thing as to the removal of the I. C. shops from this city. It will be seen that the shops in this city have fared in exactly the same way that shops at other points have.

In only one point has a reduction been made at the shops here that is permanent. The removal of the coach work from these shops is probably a permanent feature. But in that particular the shops here have been treated like other shops.

The I. C. has built at Chicago shops especially for coach work at a cost of half a million of dollars. The coach work from all the shops on their whole system has been transferred to Chicago, except the Vicksburg shops.

On account of the distance from Chicago and from the fact that the Vicksburg shops are especially well equipped for coach work, considerable work is yet done at the latter shop.

Times are getting better, even if the I. C. system is reducing its force. Thousands and thousands of men are employed today who a few weeks ago were standing face to face with hunger and cold. This Christmas is a joyous one to thousands of homes, made happy by the events of the past few weeks. To others this Christmas will be one of sorrow and impatience. But the country cannot recuperate in a day. The spread of prosperity is gradual. Each new day makes some honest man glad, and brings sunshine to his family. Every time a furnace blows in or a factory resumes it makes business for some railroad. The throb of prosperity will in a few months be felt along the whole length of the Illinois Central system and the vacant benches and forges at the shops in Paducah will be filled with men working full time.

that a receiver be appointed. The very end that the mob desired to secure—a decrease in crime. Crime is punished by crime. The people are taught to deprecate and to ignore the courts.

Mob law is criminal; it is a regression to the barbarous methods of uncivilized times. The good people of this state are doing themselves injustice in not using the weight of their influence against this barbarous and criminal method of vindicating justice.

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A KENTUCKY RABBIT HUNT.

All Sorts of Costumes and Horses Are Used.

A Study Disregard of All Considerations of Form—Riding Crops Are Never Used, But Whips Are Carried.

The men are dressed as they please, the ladies as they please. English blood gets expression, as usual, in independence absolute. There is a sturdy disregard of all considerations of form. Some men wear leggings, some high boots; a few have brown shooting-coats. Most of them ride with the heel low and the toes turned according to temperament. The southern woman's long riding-skirt has happily been laid aside. These young Dianas wear the usual habit; only the hat is a derby, a cap, sometimes a beaver with a white veil, or a tam-o'-shanter that has slipped down behind and left a frank bare head of shining hair. They hold the reins in either hand, and not a crop is to be seen. There are plenty of riding-whips, however, and sometimes one runs up the back of some girl's right arm; for that is the old-fashioned position for the whip when riding in form. On a trip like this, however, everybody rides to please his fancy, and rides anywhere but off of his horse.

The men are sturdy country youths, who in a few years will make good types of the beefy young English square—shouldered fellows in big frames, open faces, fearless eyes, and a manner that is easy, cordial, kindly, independent. The girls are midway between the types of brunette and blonde, with a leaning towards the latter type. The extreme blonde is as rare as is the unlovely black, whom Oliver Wendell Holmes differentiates from her dazzling sister with locks that have caught the light of the sun. Radiant with freshness these girls are, and with good health and strength; round of figure, clear of eye and skin, spirited, soft of voice and slow of speech.

There is one man on a sorrel mule. He is the host back at the big farmhouse, and he has given up every horse he has to guests. One of the girls has a broad white girth running all the way around both horse and saddle. Her habit is the most stylish in the field; she has lived a year in Washington, perhaps, and has had a finishing touch at a fashionable school in New York. Near her is a young fellow on a black thoroughbred—a graduate, perhaps, of Yale or Princeton. They rarely put on airs, especially like these, when they come back home, but drop quietly into their old places with friends and kindred. Friends respect their prejudice, which is a healthy contempt for anything that is not carried for actual use, such as a horse's riding-crop at home. He has left his crinkled black hair grow rather long, and has covered it with a black slouch hat.

Contact with the outer world has made a difference, however, and it is enough to create a strong bond of sympathy between these two, and to cause trouble between them, too, and to cause trouble the next day. At a brisk walk the line moves across the field, the captain at each end yelling to the men—the men, for no woman is ever anywhere but where she ought to be in a southern hunting-field—to keep it straight.

"I'll shout the captain with the mighty voice, 'I fine you ten dollars,' The slouch hat and the white girth are lagging behind. It is a lover's quarrel, and the girl looks a little flushed, while Phyllis watches, smiling. "But you can compromise with me," adds the captain, and a jolly laugh runs down the line. Now comes a "rebel yell."

"Something along the line a horse leaps forward. Other horses leap too; everybody yells; and everybody's eye is on a little bunch of cotton that is being whisked with astonishing speed through the brown weeds. There is a massing of horses close behind it; the white girth flashes in the midst of the mélée, and the slouch hat is just behind. The bunch of cotton turns suddenly, and doubles back between the horses' feet. There is a great crash, and much turning, twisting and sawing of bits. Then the crowd dashes the other way, with Corydon and Phyllis in the lead. The fun has just begun—John Fox, Jr., in Century.

Drinking Rain Drops.

The interesting doings and peculiarities of the young kingbird, kept a captive, are thus described: The kingbird lives on insects, which it generally captures on the wing, and the young bird that Mr. Bumpus experimented with caught falling drops of water by striking at them with its beak, but could not be induced to drink from a dish after the manner of a chicken. This leads Mr. Bumpus to suggest that kingbirds may be in the habit of quenching their thirst by seizing falling drops of rain.

CONNOISSEUR'S MISTAKE.

Smoked Half a Pipe of Birdseed Without Discovering His Error.

Because of a little mistake of his wife's a well-known up-town lawyer, who has long prided himself upon his delicate taste in the matter of smoking tobacco, feels several sizes too small to fill his own clothes just at present. It was one of his hobbies to keep his choice brands in an old cigar box, sprinkled with good brandy to keep the tobacco moist and to improve the flavor.

Not long ago the lawyer invited three old cronies to visit his home and while away an evening with the company of their pipes. In honor of the occasion the host produced his finest tobacco and invited his friends to help themselves. The pipes were lighted and with the first puffs of smoke came an odor too horrible to be described. (The wife of the distinguished member of the bar, however, began upstairs, instituted a

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search for burning rags, in the course of which she entered the room where the smoker was in progress.

"Do you smell that terrible stench?" she cried, addressing her husband.

"Yes," answered the torso of three white-faced visitors, laying aside their pipes. But her spouse smoked calmly on in evident enjoyment, and suggested that, although he didn't smell anything unusual, perhaps the cook was burning fat in the kitchen range. It was not long, however, before the odor was traced to the tobacco smoke by the host and his three guests.

"Did you get that tobacco out of the cigar box on the library table?" asked the lawyer's wife.

"Yes."

"Well, that's too bad. I thought that box was empty and I've been throwing waste birdseed in there every time I clean Bobby's cage. Maybe that's what smells so unpleasant."

And the laugh was on the lawyer—the compoisitor who had smoked half a pipe without discovering that anything was wrong.—Philadelphia Record.

OYSTER SAUCE.

Oyster sauce is a desirable accessory of many dishes of meat, and may be either white or brown. White oyster sauce is made as follows: Put the oysters in a saucepan, and cook for five minutes; drain them and place in a basin, having reserved their juice in a bowl. Then put four ounces of butter into a saucepan, with two ounces of flour, a little cayenne pepper and salt. Stir these well together, while moistening with the oyster juice and some rich cream. Stir the sauce on the fire, keeping it boiling for ten minutes, and then pass it through a strainer into a basin, which has been kept hot in the bain-marie. Brown oyster sauce is prepared in the same way, only instead of cream substitute an equal quantity of brown gravy. This sauce goes particularly well with a beefsteak pie, broiled slices of codfish and various plain meat dishes.—Boston Budget.

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SOUTH BOUND

Lev. Paducah	7:15 a.m.	4:00 p.m.
Ar. Paris	9:30 a.m.	6:30 p.m.
Hollow Rock June	11:30 a.m.	9:00 p.m.
Lev. Lexington	11:55 a.m.	9:45 a.m.
Jackson	4:35 p.m.	10:00 a.m.
Nashville	5:00 p.m.	10:30 a.m.
Paducah	5:15 p.m.	10:30 a.m.

North Bound

Lev. Chattanooga	5:00 a.m.	2:00 p.m.
Nashville	11:10 a.m.	5:00 p.m.
Memphis	2:45 p.m.	8:45 p.m.
Lev. Lexington	3:45 p.m.	9:45 a.m.
Jackson	4:35 p.m.	10:00 a.m.
Nashville	5:00 p.m.	10:30 a.m.
Paducah	5:15 p.m.	10:30 a.m.

All trains daily.

For all trains and car service between Paducah and Jackson, Memphis, Nashville, and Chattanooga, and for information for all trains, Gadsden, Jacksonville, Fla., and the South, South, and to Arkansas, Texas, and the Southwest. For further information call on address:

A. J. Welch, D. P. A., Memphis, Tenn.

D. P. A., Memphis, Tenn.

For Paducah, Ky., call E. S. Burroughs, depot ticket agent, Paducah, Ky.

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ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILROAD

LOUISVILLE AND MEMPHIS DIVISION

NORTH BOUND—No 202 No 24 No 222

Lev. New Orleans	8:00 a.m.	4:00 p.m.
Lev. Paducah	1:00 p.m.	6:00 a.m.
Lev. Louisville	2:00 p.m.	7:00 a.m.
Lev. Cincinnati	3:00 p.m.	8:00 a.m.
Lev. Memphis	4:00 p.m.	9:00 a.m.

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Christmas Presents
for Everybody.

Campbell-Mulvihill Coal Co.

210 S. Third Street. Telephone No. 13.

Pittsburgh and McHenry Coal,
The Best on the Market.

What to buy, where to go, and how much to pay, puzzles the whole world just now. We are in a position to solve all these problems for you; for careful and thoughtful buying on our part, has brought together a great holiday stock which must be disposed of. Make this store the basis of holiday supplies and see how satisfactorily you will be served.

A Special Silk Purchase.

You can find here all the newest silks, satins and brocades for either waists or dresses—lovely gifts for the women folks.

Changeable taffetas in newest colors or combinations for 75c and 85c the yard.

Really elegant black Duchess satin, 27 inches wide, for 75c.

Handsome brocades at 79c, 85c and 98c the yard.

Satin striped, delicate shades in evening taffetas for 75c, reduced from \$1.25.

A Doll Bazaar.

Is going on in our children's corner. Baby eyes snap and girlish hearts grow glad at a glimpse of our dolls.

Jointed dolls, with pretty faces and curly hair, for 10c.

Bisque head dolls, that open and shut their eyes, 10c, bodies, for 25c.

Bisque head dolls in sailor costumes, for 25c.

Silky-haired, jointed bodies, bisque head dolls, prettily dressed, for 49c each.

A Revelation in Handkerchief Selling.

This is our prize department, where all that is newest, best and prettiest is displayed, at prices that will spare your purse.

Children's school handkerchiefs, with neat printed borders at 25c. the dozen.

Men's hemstitched lawn handkerchiefs, good size and quality, 5 cents each.

Men's all linen hemstitched handkerchiefs at 15c and 25c.

Ladies' linen cambric handkerchiefs, hemstitched, embroidered and real lace edged, for 25c, 35c, 50c, 65c, to \$1.00.

Will stamp initials on all linen handkerchiefs bought before Xmas free of charge.

Gloves the Correct Gift.

We ask consideration for our holiday line of gloves for men, women and children.

Serviceable dog-skin gloves for men at 50 cents.

Men's one-cash kid gloves, in all the popular shades, for \$1.00.

Stylish red, brown, tan and green shades, in ladies' heavy stitched kid gloves for \$1.00 the pair.

Misses five-hook kid gloves at \$1.00 the pair.

Umbrellas.

A special line of superior styles as a particular help to those who can't think what to buy for Christmas.

26 inch fast black steel umbrellas with steel rods for 75c.

Congo handles, steel rod, gloria silk umbrellas for 98c.

Sterling silver mounted handles, heavy English gloria silk umbrellas for \$1.39.

The Cloak Trade.

We propose to have a brisk cloak trade from to-day until Christmas if it is a price possibility, for we will sell the choice of every garment in the jacket department for the uniform price of \$7.50. This includes many handsome wraps worth twice the amount. Also offer you choice of any plush cape in our stock for \$10.

Holiday Fancies

Pretty leather belts with fancy buckles for 15c.

Nine black Coney Muffs at 49c

Sterling silver knives for 48c and 69c.

All wool serges, navy blue and black, for 25c.

Side combs at 5c. and 10c the pair

Neat pearl shirt waist sets at 25c.

Sterling silver scissors at 49c.

White and gray fur rugs at \$1.89

Men's stylish neck ties at 25c.

Coque feather boas, 58c and 98c

Hemstitched damask towels 25c.

Black coney and gray hair muffs at \$1.00

Leather card cases and purses combined, 25c. and 39c.

Sterling silver mounted purses 49c

**Ellis, Rudy
& Phillips.**

NEW HEADQUARTERS.

Special Pension Agent Hartwell
Moved to Hopkinsville.

Mr. James H. Hartwell, special government pension agent, who has been located in Paducah for the past year, has been ordered to Hopkinsville and will hereafter make that place his headquarters.

He is still here, however, winding up his business preparatory to leaving.

Do not forget that J. W. Long & Bros' new furniture store, 203 and 205 South Third street, will sell you furniture cheaper than any house in the city on long easy payments. 194d

Call on B. Michael, Jr., for electric watches and jewelry at one-half price.

Four floors filled with Xmas furniture and novelties, at Gleaves & Sons.

For Obstructing the Sidewalks.

Street Inspector Cosby today swore out several warrants against merchants for obstructing the sidewalks with large piles of goods boxes. The cases will be tried in the police court tomorrow.

Metropolis Clippings for Kindling.

HAVE YOUR BAKING DONE AT THE "Bon Ton Bakery."

We will do it cheaper than you can at home.

Fresh Bread and Cakes

Always on hand. Give us your orders. Goods delivered to any part of the city.

Fred Greif.

Seventh and Washington Sts.

LOCAL MENTION.

You can select your gentleman friends a Xmas present from Scott Hardware Co.'s elegant line of razors.

Immense crowds are seen daily at Noah's Ark buying Xmas presents.

The Chafing Dishes quite the fad. See the beautiful patterns at the Scott Hardware Co.

We offer you fine bargains in unredeemed pledges.

B. MICHAEL, Jr.,
103 S. 2nd St.

The crowds flocking to VanCulin Bros' daily for holiday goods is a demonstration of the fact that the people appreciate good values and a large assortment to select from.

Everyone—the rich and poor alike—are invited to inspect DuBois & Co.'s bargains in toys.

Mr. King Brooks has returned to Washington and New York on business.

Mrs. Fred Long left today for Dyersburg on a visit. Mr. Long leaves tonight for Louisville.

Mrs. F. M. Houser, Miss Sue Nelson and Mrs. Will Gray left at noon for Chicago on a visit.

Mr. King Brooks has returned to the Chicago school of dentistry to spend the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Meyers, of Princeton, were guests of Col. John Sinnott and wife yesterday.

Mr. Jas. F. Surratt, the jeweler, has gone to Steubenville, Ohio, to open a jewelry establishment.

Mrs. Lizzie O'Keefe will leave tomorrow for Memphis, where she will spend the Christmas holidays.

Ed Schraeder, who had his leg amputated recently at the Brooks Infirmary, is rapidly recovering.

Hughes McKnight and Willie Minnick are here from Centre College, Danville, to spend the holidays.

Mr. Sam Quisenberry and bride, (neé Thomas) have returned from their trip to New Orleans.

Mock Railey, the hustling baggage man is now with Willet they will run a general transfer business.

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Circuit Court.

The case against Dr. Reuben Burrow, charged with wilful murder, was continued until the next term of the court.

Jeff Elrod and Will Cook were fined \$20 and costs for gaming.

The case of Robt. Cochran against Paducah Land, Coal and Iron company was continued until Thursday.

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SUIT FILED.

Mr. J. V. Grief, administrator of

Ice Cohen, the assigned pawnbroker, today filed suit against the creditors to wind up the business of the concern and settle the estate.

CENTRAL COMMITTEEMEN

To be Elected by the Democrats Tomorrow.

The Democratic congressional committee meets tomorrow to elect a successor to Mr. W. P. Gatlin, of Murray, the central committeeman who recently resigned.

Dr. Luten, of Fulton, and Mr. Schneke, of Lyon, are the candidates.

FULL SETTLEMENT.

Get the best. St. Bernard Coal,

St. Bernard Silver Coke, Pittsburgh Coal and Anthracite Coal from the St. Bernard Coal Co., incorporated, 423 Broadway, Telephone No. 8. Oct. 21

HICKORY STOCK WOOD.

For nice stove wood, telephone 29, \$1 per load.

OHIO RIVER SPOKE AND RIM CO.

The only way that we can convince you that we can sell you furniture cheaper than any house in the city is to call to see our goods and get prices.

J. W. LONG & BRO.,
103 S. 2nd St.

The Late Marshal Geary's Business Wound Up.

Marshal Collins today made a complete and full settlement with Mrs. Geary, wife of the late Marshal Geary, which winds up the latter's business in toto.

Lee Harris Gets Out Only to Get In Again.

Lee Harris, colored, was released from the county jail this morning, after being imprisoned for several weeks on a charge of robbery.

Although we are having a rushing business we have piles of goods left for you to select from.

NOAH'S ARK.

Fireworks! fireworks!! at VanCulin Bros.

You want an original present that is ornamental and useful? See Scott Hardware Co.'s elegant line of Indian baskets.

GO TO G. W. ROBERTSON.

For the best and cheapest groceries in the city, try him and be convinced.

Best gem coffee, five pounds for one dollar.

Best granulated sugar twenty pounds for one dollar.

Flour from \$0.75 to \$5.25 per bbl.

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